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ADDRESS RANGE AND EFFICIENT
PRIORITY-BASED DATA THROUGHPUT**

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Dear Sir:

This amendment is responsive to the Final Office Action dated September 28, 2006.

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